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Case: 104134/Appeal 5318  
21 March 2019

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Dear Ms. Best:

This is an interim response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for "[c]opies of all unclassified e-Chirps." As the FOIA/Privacy Act Appeal Authority informed you in his letter dated 15 March 2018, your appeal (Appeal 5318) was granted and your request was returned to the FOIA office for further processing. As we previously informed you, your request has been assigned Case Number 104134. We have completed our search for records responsive to your request. The material responsive to your request requires review prior to release and has been placed in the first-in, first-out processing backlog queue. Please be aware, there are a significant number of cases ahead of yours in the backlog queue. We appreciate your patience with our efforts to treat all requesters fairly by responding to each on a "first-in, first-out" basis.

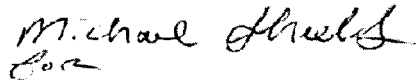
Correspondence related to your request should include the case number assigned to your request, which is included in the first paragraph of this letter. Your letter should be addressed to National Security Agency, FOIA Office (P132), 9800 Savage Road STE 6932, Ft. George G. Meade, MD 20755-6932 or may be sent by facsimile to 443-479-3612. If sent by fax, it should be marked for the attention of the FOIA office. The telephone number of the FOIA office is 301-688-6527.

You may also contact our FOIA Public Liaison at [foialo@nsa.gov](mailto:foialo@nsa.gov) for any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request. Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows:

Office of Government Information Services  
National Archives and Records Administration  
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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Michael Shields".

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